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Mahlwinkel Airfield

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SOURCE [REDACTED] 25X1X

In early June 1953, Mahlwinkel airfield was vacated by the Soviet detail. Two civilians guarded the installation. It was rumored that a strip of woods just west of the field was to be cleared. No details could be determined. After a dry period, source observed that strong wind raised clouds of dust at those spots on the landing field where little or no grass had grown.

25X1A [REDACTED] Comment. Mahlwinkel alternate airfield which measures 2,800 x 600 meters was established by the Soviets in 1952. It has a grass runway which is 1,700 meters long and 100 meters wide. The Soviet detail mentioned probably was a construction detail which had been there to possibly improve those spots at the field which were scantily covered with grass.

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